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City of Falls Church Launches 5th Annual Student Art Contest

FALLS CHURCH, VA – The City of Falls Church Office of Communications is now accepting submissions to its 5th Annual Student Art Contest. Students Kindergarten through Grade 12 are eligible to enter, but must attend a City of Falls Church School or reside in the City. The deadline for entries is Friday, Oct. 7, 2005.

Judges will select 13 entries to feature in the City's 2006 Annual Report, Services Guide and Calendar for distribution this December. The Mayor and City Council will present students whose work is selected with a plaque and a prize at a City Council meeting this fall. A special reception will be held at the Dec. 2 First Friday event at Art & Frame of Falls Church (244 W. Broad St., Falls Church) where entries will remain on display throughout December.

Submission Requirements (no more than three entries per person):

- Must be no smaller than 3" x 5" and no larger than 11" x 17" vertically or horizontally.
- Two-dimensional art can be created in any medium.
- Three-dimensional art (3-D) can be created in any medium, but must be accompanied by a 3" x 5" or 4" x 6" color photograph of the work.
- All submissions must be submitted flat, not folded or rolled (unless the submission is a 3-D submission such as origami art).
- Submissions must include the student's first and last name, age, grade, school attending, name of parent or guardian, teacher's name, address, and phone number on the back of the artwork (Titles of artwork are optional).

Submissions Must Not:

- Be edible (e.g., Cheerios, macaroni noodles, etc.).
- Need to be stored at a certain temperature or in a special setup.
- Have sharp edges or objects within the work.

Please mail or deliver entries on or before Friday, Oct. 7 to: Office of Communications, Falls Church City Hall, 300 Park Ave., Falls Church, VA 22046. For more information, please call 703-248-5003 or e-mail publicinfo@fallschurchva.gov.

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